

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of:

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For: **PREVENTING DENIAL OF SERVICE ATTACKS USING AN ACCUMULATED PROOF OF WORK APPROACH**

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**AMENDMENT AFTER ALLOWANCE  
PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §1.312(a)**

Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.312(a), Applicants respectfully request the entrance of the below amendments.